

STATE OF TASMANIA
MONTHLY STATISTICS--JUNE - JULY, 1942

RAILWAYS:

		1941 June	1942 April	1942 May	1942 June
Gross Revenue	£	52,126	65,662	61,979	62,001
Working Costs, excl. Interest	£	62,320	63,074	65,595	66,438
Train Miles run (inc. Rail Motor)	No.	178,684	186,337	180,650	187,347
Passenger Journeys	No.	290,657	236,600	234,611	342,840
Goods and Live Stock	Tons	90,210	87,785	86,641	84,103

ELECTRIC POWER:- Units Generated by

		1941 July	1942 June	1942 July
Hydro-Electric Department		56,966,000	59,748,700	61,142,500
Mt. Lyell Mining and Railway Co.,)				
Launceston City Council)				
Pioneer Tin Mining Co.,)				
Small Plants, estimated)		5,725,548	6,381,221	6,317,230
Total Units		62,691,548	66,129,921	67,459,730
Units supplied to Hobart Metropolitan Area		32,866,600	34,791,067	36,285,467
" " " Launceston & Suburbs		3,422,059	3,401,083	3,695,425

EMPLOYMENT:

Number of employees stated to be on the last pay-roll in the month of
all employers making Pay-Roll Tax returns

INDUSTRY	April, 1942			May, 1942		
	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
Private Employers:-						
Primary Industries	1,323	745	2,068	928	150	1,078
Mining and Quarrying	2,524	22	2,546	2,562	25	2,587
Factories and Industrial	10,836	3,965	14,801	10,873	3,917	14,790
Building and Construction	1,249	27	1,276	1,244	40	1,284
Transport & Communication	2,579	81	2,660	2,571	84	2,655
Commerce and Finance	4,485	3,217	7,702	4,388	3,229	7,617
Other Industries	786	1,139	1,925	760	1,132	1,892
Total Private Employers	23,782	9,196	32,978	23,326	8,577	31,903
Govt. & Semi-Governmental:-						
Total Governmental	8,813	1,943	10,756	8,556	1,981	10,537
Grand Total All Returns	32,595	11,139	43,734	31,882	10,558	42,440

REAL ESTATE STATISTICS:

	1941 July	1942 May	1942 June	1942 July
Real Property Act	£	£	£	£
Value of Land Transfers	179,657	64,883	73,993	102,126
" " Mortgages Registered	84,455	18,531	36,547	27,084
" " " Discharged	66,856	35,227	39,000	45,066
" " " Partially Discharged	2,063	1,000	2,955	1,180
Registration under Deeds Act				
Value of Conveyances	130,781	52,023	56,688	63,083
" " Mortgages	54,306	39,697	21,015	22,117
" " Reconveyances	42,924	34,209	24,930	49,869

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS:

	1941 July	1942 June	1942 July
	£	£	£
Commonwealth Savings Bank	2,460,103	2,705,174	2,791,045
Trustee Savings Banks - Hobart, L'ton.	6,576,741	6,766,605	6,889,658
	9,036,844	9,471,779	9,680,703

BANK CLEARINGS:

	1941 July	1942 June	1942 July
	£	£	£
Hobart	3,322,233	3,674,634	3,586,184
Launceston	1,698,079	1,852,864	1,533,626

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FINANCE: July 1941 and 1942

Consolidated Revenue Fund

Receipts		Payments	
July		July	
1941	1942	1941	1942
£167,857	£181,557	£200,412	£212,432
Excess of Payments over Receipts month July 1942-43		...	£30,875
" " " " " " " " 1941-42		...	£32,555

MOTOR REGISTRATIONS (Exclusive of Commonwealth-Owned Motor Vehicles) - July 1942
(of Civil and Defence Services)

	Lorries &c.	Utilities	Motor Cycles	Cars & Other Vehicles
No. on Register at 1/7/'42	2,963	2,404	2,240	14,183
Lapsed Registrations	217	188	135	929
	2,746	2,216	2,105	13,254
Registrations - July 1942:				
New Vehicles	1	2	-	12
Used Vehicles	199	185	178	1,026
No. on Register end July, 1942	2,946	2,403	2,283	14,292
No. on Register end July, 1941	3,122	2,337	3,082	17,022

COMMONWEALTH SALES TAX:

	Net Sales of Taxable and Exempt Goods £	Net Taxable Sales £	Sales Tax Collected £
1941 July	928,102	346,041	30,545
1942 May	1,258,623	380,337	36,243
June	713,853	276,247	36,468
July	1,221,145	282,801	39,978

RETAIL PRICE INDEX NUMBERS:

		Cost of Food and Groceries (6 Capitals in 1923-27 as Base = 1000)			
		1941 June	1942 April	1942 May	1942 June
Hobart		953	1,029	1,037	1,043
Launceston		936	1,000	1,004	1,014
Burnie		995	1,028	1,038	1,054
Devonport		968	1,029	1,032	1,029
Queenstown		1,019	1,059	1,066	1,070
Weighted Average, Tasmania		952	1,021	1,027	1,035
Rosebery		1,083	1,117	1,124	1,122

BUILDING PERMITS: July, 1942 and 1941.

MONTH	New Buildings for Habitation		New Buildings for Other Purposes		Alterations & Additions		Totals	
	Permits No.	Contract Price £	Permits No.	Contract Price £	Permits No.	Contract Price £	Permits No.	Contract Price £
1942 August	-	-	-	-	6	1,784	6	1,784
1941 August	22	20,029	2	3,735	12	1,371	36	25,135

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